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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :  
Edwin SOUTHERN :  
Serial No. 07/695,682 :  
Filed May 3, 1991 :  
ANALYSING POLYNUCLEOTIDE :  
SEQUENCES :

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND EXPRESS ABANDONMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a third month extension of  
time to respond to the communication of October 19, 1993.

The fee of \$480.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith. Attention is directed to the  
fact that the PTO fee of \$360.00 for a two month  
extension of time was paid on March 3, 1994
- ( ) to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975.  
A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- ( ) Small entity status of this application is  
established by the verified statement under  
37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which
- ( ) is enclosed.
- ( ) has been previously submitted.

This Petition is for the purpose of concurrently filing  
a [X] Continuation, [ ] Divisional, [ ] Continuation-in-part  
application in place of the above-identified application.  
Accordingly, the above-identified application is hereby expressly  
abandoned conditioned upon the granting of this Petition and the  
granting of a filing date to said continuing application.

Respectfully submitted,

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